IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Carlos J. Gonzalez et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for a two-month extension of time within which to respond to the April 18, 2007 outstanding Notice of Appeal, such extension allowing the undersigned until August 18, 2007 to respond. The fee of \$450.00 has been authorized via EFS to Deposit Account 040258. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 040258.

Respectfully submitted,

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